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Philip H. Brandt

Chief Judge of the Bankruptcy Appellate Panel

Date of Birth: 1944
Education: Harvard 1966 AB; U Washington 1972 JD
Began Service: October 11, 1991
Term Expires: 2012

Affiliation: Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Western District of Washington

Government: Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1972); Attorney, Federal Maritime Commission (1972-1973); Deputy Prosecuting Attorney, County of Pierce, Washington (1973-1975); Director, Standards Project, Washington Governor's Committee on Law and Justice (1975-1976)

Legal Practice: LeCocq, Simonarson et al. (1976-1986); Graham & Dunn (1986-1991)

Military Service: United States Navy (1966-1969); United States Naval Reserve (1969-1989)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; King County Bar; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges; Tacoma-Pierce County Bar; Washington State Bar

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Christopher M. Klein
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1946
Education: Brown 1969 BA, 1969 MA; Chicago 1976 JD, 1976 MBA
Began Service: February 1988
Term Expires: 2016

Affiliation: Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of California

Government: Trial Attorney, United States Department of Justice, Jimmy Carter Administration (1978-1980)

Legal Practice: Cleary, Gottlieb, Steen & Hamilton (1980-1983); Deputy General Counsel, National Railroad Passenger Corporation (1983-1987)

Military Service: United States Marine Corps (1969-1978)

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Dennis Montali
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1940
Education: Notre Dame 1961 AB; Boalt Hall 1968 JD
Began Service: May 1, 2000
Term Expires: April 22, 2007

Affiliation: Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of California

Legal Practice: Partner, Dinkelspiel, Pelavin, Steefel, and Levitt (1980); Associate then Partner, Rothschild, Phelan, & Montali (1968-1980); Partner, Pillsbury, Madison, & Sutro (1981-1993)

Military Service: United States Naval Reserve

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American College of Bankruptcy, Fellow; San Francisco Bar Association, Chair

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Erithe A. Smith
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1957
Education: Loyola Marymount 1979 BA; Boalt Hall 1982 JD

Affiliation: Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Central District of California

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Marcus M. Kaufman, California Court of Appeals (1982-1983); Law Clerk The Honorable Peter M. Elliott, United States Bankruptcy Court (1983-1985)

Legal Practice: McKittrick, Jackson, DeMarco & Peckenpaugh (1985-1987); Lobel, Winthrop & Broker (1987-1994)

Current Memberships: American Bankruptcy Institute; American Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges; Orange County Bankruptcy Forum

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Jim D. Pappas
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1952
Education: Idaho 1977 JD

Affiliation: Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Idaho

Current Memberships: National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Randall L. Dunn

Randall L. Dunn
Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1950
Education: Northwestern 1972 BA; Stanford 1975 JD
Began Service: 2006

Affiliation: Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Oregon

Current Memberships: American Bankruptcy Institute; American Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges; Oregon State Bar; Portland Opera Association; Washington State Bar

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Deanell Reece Tacha
Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1946
Education: Kansas 1968 BA; Michigan 1971 JD
Began Service: December 16, 1985
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Affiliation: Member, Judicial Conference of the United States

Academic: Director of Legal Aid Clinic, University of Kansas (1974-1977); Professor, University of Kansas (1974-1985); Associate Dean, University of Kansas (1977-1979); Associate Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs, University of Kansas (1979-1981); Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs, University of Kansas (1981-1985)

Government: White House Fellow, Special Assistant to Secretary of Labor, Office of the Secretary of Labor, United States Department of Labor, Richard M. Nixon Administration (1971-1972)

Judicial: United States Sentencing Commission (1994-1998)

Legal Practice: Associate, Hogan & Hartson (1973); Associate, Thomas J. Pitner Law Firm (1973-1974)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Kansas Bar Association

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Paul J. Kelly, Jr.
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1940
Education: Notre Dame 1963 BBA; Fordham 1967 JD
Began Service: April 14, 1992
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush
Political Affiliation: Republican

Government: State Representative (R-NM), New Mexico House of Representatives (1977-1981)

Legal Practice: Associate, Hinkle, Bondurant, Cox & Eaton (1967-1971); Partner, Hinkle, Cox, Eaton, Coffield & Hensley (1971-1992)

Current Memberships: Federal Bar Association; Oliver Seth American Inn of Court; Santa Fe County Bar Association; State Bar of New Mexico

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